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Sir:

To satisfy their continuing duties of candor and good faith, Applicants bring to the Examiner's attention the following applications: Serial Nos. 10/221,751, 10/333,468, 10/333,473, 10/484,839, 10/544,541, 10/544,542, 10/546,275, 11/587,427, 11/885,222, 11/885,246, 12/230,916 and 13/124,298. He is invited to consider their prosecution histories and prior art, which are accessible through the PTO's Image File Wrapper (IFW), in view of the Federal Circuit's holding in *McKesson Information Solutions v. Bridge Medical*, 82 USPQ2d 1865 (Fed. Cir. 2007). Please acknowledge their consideration by return of an initialed copy of the attached Form PTO/SB/08a. To avoid duplication of those materials in the PTO's records, reference to the IFW is encouraged but Applicants would be ready to submit copies of these materials for the Examiner's review if he prefers.

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